

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

SELECTMEN,

Treasurer and School Board

OF THE

TOWN OF MADBURY

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1899.

DOVER, N. H.:

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1899.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1898, ENDING FEB. 15, 1899.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES.

Paid Solon A. Carter, State Treasurer.....	\$603 50
George D. Nowell, County Treasurer...	992 95

SCHOOLS.

Paid Wm. S. Hayes, Treasurer of School Board.....	\$790 00
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SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Henry L. Felker, First Selectman.....	\$25 00
Gilman H. Twombly, Second Selectman.	25 00
Charles G. Sanders, Third Selectman...	25 00
Charles W. Hayes, Treasurer.....	15 00
Martin V. B. Felker, Collector.....	30 00
Lewis H. Young, Town Clerk.....	16 00
Albert D. Emerson, Dog Constable 1899	5 00
Charles S. Kingman, Supervisor, 1897-98	9 00
Alonzo D. Nute, " 1897-98	9 00
Willis W. Hoitt, " 1897-98	9 00
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	\$168 00

DAMAGE BY DOGS.

Paid Ivory H. Kelly, 3 sheep killed 1898....	\$12 00
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DOG LICENSES.

Received of Lewis H. Young licenses of 29 dogs \$70.00 less clerks fees \$5.80.....	\$64 20
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ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Paid Charles S. Kingman, Road Agent.....	\$1040 51
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MISCELLANEOUS BILLS

Paid Chase and Kennard, printing 200 reports	\$12 10
E. B. Lane, 1 collector's book.....	1 25
paper and envelopes.....	45
Fred L. Richardson, cleaning hall.....	2 00
putting up and re-	
moving voting	
booths.....	50
patching shingles.	50
M. V. B. Felker, postage, stationary and	
extra expense as collector.....	7 55
Henry L. Felker, postage.....	30
1 day with Co. commis-	
ioners.....	3 00
going before Co. com-	
missioners in W. E.	
Roberts case.....	1 00
1 day at Concord to	
settle State tax....	4 50
Lewis H. Young, stationary and postage	1 50
Dr. M. C. Lathrop, reporting death of	
H. G. Russ and birth of J. H. Daily...	50
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	\$35 15

TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN
OF MADBURY.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in Treasury Feb. 23, 1898.....	\$89 03
State, county, town, school and road taxes col-	
lected.....	2,864 18

Dog licenses for 1898.....	\$ 64 20
Savings bank tax.....	850 54
Railroad tax.....	134 50
Literary fund.....	23 40
Literary fund interest in H. L. Felker's hands	11 40
M. V. B. Felker, collector 1897.....	206 51
M. V. B. Felker, collector 1896.....	88
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	\$4244 64

EXPENDITURES.

Paid State tax.....	\$603 50
County tax.....	992 95
Schools.....	790 00
Salaries of town officers.....	168 00
Damage by dogs.....	12 00
Roads and bridges.....	1,040 51
Miscellaneous bills.....	35 15
Auditors.....	3 00
Cash in treasury Feb. 25, 1899.....	599 53
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	\$4,244 65

CHARLES W. HAYES,
Treasurer.

HENRY L. FELKER,
GILMAN H. TWOMBLY,
CHARLES G. SANDERS.
Selectmen of Madbury.

We, the undersigned, certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN B. HUCKINS,
ALONZO D. NUTE,
Auditors.

Madbury, Feb. 25, 1899.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDI- TION OF THE TOWN FEB. 25, 1899.

State, county, town, school and road taxes assessed 1898.....	\$3,006 53
State, county, town, school and road taxes collected Feb. 15, 1899.....	2,864 18
State, county, town, school and road taxes for 1898 abated.....	31 99
State, county, town, school and road taxes for 1898 outstanding.....	110 36
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	\$3,006 53
Dog licenses on 29 dogs.....	64 20

DUE THE TOWN.

Outstanding—T. W. Fernald's list, 1892....	\$ 1 26
“ “ “ 1893....	87
“ “ “ 1894....	1 05
“ “ “ 1895....	3 74
“ M. V. B. Felker's list, 1897....	81
“ “ “ 1898....	110 36
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	\$118 09
Cash in treasury.....	599 53
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	\$717 62

DUE FROM THE TOWN.

School district.....	\$209 90
Edward Pendexter, on note and interest.....	220 00
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	\$429 90
Balance in favor of town.....	\$287 72
Paid Edward Pendexter's note and interest, Feb. 27, 1899.....	\$220 00

ABATEMENTS ASSESSED 1898.

Mary F. Glass, on bank stock.....	\$13 50
Arthur Guptill, on poll.....	1 35
J. W. Miles, on poll over 70.....	1 35
Fred L. Richardson, on cow.....	40
John C. Hanson, on poll over 70.....	1 35
Harry H. Evans, on barn.....	6 75
Daniel Malony, on poll.....	1 35
Horace Whaller, on poll.....	1 35
Edward Whaller, on poll.....	1 35
Charles Joy, on poll and horse.....	1 89
George B. Hamilton, on poll.....	1 35
John Roberts, assessed 1894.....	2 62
James Berry, " ".....	1 05
Sidney Bunker, on horse assessed 1897.....	34
Charles Joy, on poll and horse assessed 1897.....	2 03
George T. Berry, on poll assessed 1897.....	1 35

SCHOOL MONEY FOR 1898.

Raised by law.....	\$710 00
Literary fund.....	23 40
Literary fund interest.....	11 40
Balance dog licenses 1898.....	52 20
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	\$797 00

INVENTORY FOR 1898.

Ninety-seven polls.....	\$9,700 00
Seven thousand four hundred and fourteen acres of land.....	164,016 00
One hundred and forty-five horses.....	8,542 00
Thirty-one oxen.....	1,980 00
Two hundred and fifty-one cows.....	7,197 00
Fifty-nine other neat stock.....	1,081 00
One hundred and twenty-two sheep.....	366 00

Four hogs.....	\$ 28 00
Three carriages.....	200 00
Stock in banks and other corporations.....	13,307 00
Money on hand and at interest.....	13,500 00
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	\$219,917 00

Dogs returned by selection.....	35
Males.....	29
Females	6

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

IN MADBURY, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31. 1898.

BIRTHS.

1898.

Mar. 7. Clarence George Felker, son of Henry L. Felker and Addie F. Garland.

April 7. ——— Evans, son of Harry H. Evans and Bertha L. Swain.

April 30. Helen May Hamilton, daughter of George Hamilton and Prudence Canon.

Oct. 28 James H. Daily, son of James H. Daily and Kate Murphy.

MARRIAGES.

1898.

Dec. 7. Hiram W. Berry of Madbury, age 21, wool sorter, son of Joseph F. Berry and Josephine Reynolds, of Madbury, and Ellen Jones, of Dover, age 19, daughter of William Jones and Rachel Babb, of Dover.

DEATHS.

1898.

April 21. Sarah Swallow, aged 73 years, 2 months, 28 days; married; daughter of George Homer and Martha Finly; cause of death, old age.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT FOR 1898.

REPAIRING ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Paid J. S. Abbott, bill of 1897.....	\$15 50
C. J. Norman, labor.....	6 15
" 178 loads of clay.....	17 00
J. F. Crosby, labor.....	28 63
J. A. Smith, labor.....	3 30
H. A. Smith,	1 87
M. V. B. Felker, labor.....	10 80
Jonathan Jenkins, labor.....	7 95
C. R. Cockins, labor.....	17 98
" allowance on road.....	9 53
J. W. Miles, labor.....	5 00
A. K. Wormell, labor.....	7 75
J. A. Randall, labor.....	9 00
J. B. Pineo, labor.....	3 00
N. W. Baxter, labor.....	8 25
M. B. Foss, labor.....	3 60
F. L. Richardson, labor.....	8 55
Ivory H. Kelley, labor.....	26 28
A. F. Caswell, labor.....	14 70
David B. Hayes, labor.....	10 30
G. W. Hodgdon, labor.....	3 00
J. F. Berry, labor.....	11 94
C. W. Hayes, labor.....	26 43
W. S. Hayes, labor.....	9 00
E. L. Jenkins, labor.....	3 50
Dame Bro's, 2,912 ft B. plank.....	46 60
G. W. Tibbets, R. M. Scraper.....	8 00
B. and M. freight bill.....	40

Paid Charles Gerrish, labor.....	\$ 1 95
C. G. Sanders, labor.....	2 22
Asa Young, labor.....	15
G. E. Gerrish, labor.....	5 00
F. L. Gardner, labor.....	4 20
C. E. Perkins, labor.....	6 00
F. E. Tebbets, labor.....	11 70
J. H. Dailey, labor.....	12 70
Joseph Cole, labor.....	20 40
H. L. Felker, labor.....	20 67
W. H. H. Twombly, labor.....	17 45
F. C. Twombly, labor.....	6 00
G. D. Twombly, labor.....	5 48
L. N. Young, labor.....	14 61
J. C. Hanson, labor.....	11 05
A. W. Simpson, labor.....	11 00
C. S. Kingman, labor.....	64 64
“ “	10 00
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	\$549 20

BREAKING ROADS AFTER FEB. 15, 1898.

Paid A. F. Caswell, labor.....	\$ 6 96
Ivory N. Kelly, labor.....	3 75
E. L. Jenkins, labor.....	15 15
James L. Paul, labor.....	6 15
G. H. Meserve, labor.....	5 70
C. H. Gerrish, labor.....	4 06
G. E. Gerrish, labor.....	6 68
Nathaniel Jenkins, labor.....	1 65
H. A. Smith, labor.....	5 70
Jonathan Jenkins, labor.....	14 40
J. B. Pineo, labor.....	1 20
G. S. Drew, labor.....	5 10
J. H. Daily, labor.....	3 30

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Paid J. W. Miles, labor.....	\$ 1 50
G. E. Lock, labor.....	1 95
J. A. Smith, labor.....	1 50
W. A. Biedermann, labor.....	1 80
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	\$86 55

BREAKING ROADS TO FEB. 18, 1899.

Paid M. V. B. Felker, labor.....	\$6 60
R. H. Goddard, labor.....	5 10
Jonathan Jenkins, labor.....	11 21
E. L. Jenkins, labor.....	19 05
H. A. Smith, labor.....	6 37
G. W. Randall, labor.....	3 37
C. N. Foss, labor.....	3 97
James L. Paul, labor.....	6 60
C. W. Jenkins, labor.....	3 15
John A. Smith, labor.....	10 05
David B. Hayes, labor.....	11 10
Joseph Cole, labor.....	11 76
W. S. Hayes, labor.....	6 44
J. B. Pineo, labor.....	6 90
Ivory H. Kelly, labor.....	3 45
M. B. Foss, labor.....	2 10
James H. Demeritt, labor.....	60
Fred E. Foss, labor.....	3 30
P. Dailey, labor.....	11 73
C. J. Norman, labor.....	4 58
F. C. Twombly, labor.....	4 43
G. H. Twombly, labor.....	3 83
W. H. H. Twombly, labor.....	90
George E. Bodge, labor.....	3 48
Asa Young, labor.....	5 67
Lewis H. Young, labor.....	4 43
J. F. Berry, labor.....	13 74

Paid George W. Hodgdon, labor.....	\$ 4 78
F. L. Richardson, labor.....	5 85
Albert Varney, labor.....	7 76
James H. Dailey, labor.....	17 10
Charles Gerrish, labor.....	1 95
Albert D. Emerson, labor.....	12 26
T. W. Fernald, labor.....	20 10
C. G. Sanders, labor.....	5 07
W. A. Biedermann, labor.....	4 20
Augustus Biedermann, Jr.....	7 50
Augustus Biedermann, labor.....	1 80
J. B. Huckins, labor.....	2 77
H. Hoitt, labor.....	1 65
W. W. Hoitt, labor.....	2 40
A. D. Nute, labor.....	1 66
G. S. Drew, labor.....	2 82
G. E. Gerrish, labor.....	13 34
F. L. Gardner, labor.....	10 50
C. E. Perkins, labor.....	15 10
F. E. Tebbets, labor.....	5 31
H. L. Felker, labor.....	7 95
C. W. Hayes, labor.....	2 70
Albert S. Twombly, labor.....	1 80
J. W. Miles, labor.....	6 00
A. K. Wormell, labor.....	6 00
John Randall, labor.....	7 98
J. C. Hanson, labor.....	3 57
A. W. Simpson, labor.....	3 63
Harry Evans, labor.....	12 87
G. A. Lock, labor.....	1 05
George O. Hayes, labor.....	08
F. W. Sanders, labor.....	5 67
H. E. Canney, labor.....	6 00
C. S. Kingman, labor.....	21 63

\$404 76

ROAD AGENT IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF MADBURY.

Dr.

Received of C. W. Hayes, Treasurer..... \$1,040 51

Cr.

Paid for repairs of roads and bridges.....	\$549 20
For breaking in 1898.....	86 55
For breaking to Feb. 18, 1899.....	404 76
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	\$1,040 51

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. Kingman.

Road Agent.

FINANCIAL REPORT

OF

SCHOOL BOARD AND TREASURER,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1899.

Dr.

Received of the Town.....	\$790 00
Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1898.....	26 32
	\$816 32

Cr.

Paid Lavina H. Twombly, teaching 30 weeks.	\$195 00
Anna L. Hayes, " 10 "	65 00
Elizabeth H. Lord, " 10 "	65 00
Nellie Emerson, " 10 "	65 00
Nellie M. Glidden, " 10 "	65 00
Edna B. Snell, " 20 "	130 00
E. L. Jenkins, for tuition paid.....	19 99
" " transportation.....	15 00
G. E. Gerrish, for transportation.....	15 00
C. S. Kingman, for 1/2 cd hard wood fitted	2 50
" " 1/2 cd pine " "	1 75
" " 2 brooms.....	40
" " 1 box crayon.....	15
" " repair on lock.....	35
C. L. Jenness, as per bill.....	1 30
David B. Hayes, for 1 cord hard wood..	5 00
" " pine "	3 50
J. W. Miles, for fitting 2 cords "	1 00
T. W. Fernald, for 1 cd. hard wood fitted.	5 00
" " pine "	3 00

Paid L. H. Young, for 1 cord hard wood....	\$ 4 50
F. C. Twombly, for fitting 1 cord wood.	50
“ “ cleaning and work about school house.	2 00
W. S. Hayes, for 1½ cd. pine wood fitted.	5 25
“ paid express charges...	1 50
“ for 4 primers.....	90
“ 1 box colored crayon...	65
“ postage and revenue...	70
Lothrop & Pinkham, for supplies.....	4 05
American Book Co., difference in ex- change of Arithmetics.....	13 95
W. S. Hayes, salary.....	15 00
C. S. Kingman, salary.....	15 00
C. W. Hayes, salary.....	15 00
Cash in treasury.....	78 38
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	\$816 32

TREASURER'S REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

Dr.

Received of Town.....	\$790 00
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1898.....	26 32
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	\$816 32

Cr.

Paid salaries of school board.....	\$45 00
salaries of teachers.....	585 00
for tuitions.....	19 99
transportation.....	30 00
fuel fitted.....	32 00
supplies.....	21 20
furnishings.....	40

Paid for miscellaneous.....	4 00
repairs.....	35
Cash in treasury.....	78 38
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	\$816 32

WM. S. HAYES,
Treasurer.

WM. S. HAYES,
CHARLES S. KINGMAN,
CHARLES W. HAYES,
School Board.

Madbury, Feb. 15, 1899.

We the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts of the School Board and Treasurer, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN B. HUCKINS,
ALONZO D. NUTE,
Auditors.

Due from Old District No. 1, about..... \$650 00

CARTER SCHOOL.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Length of school weeks.....	10	10	10
Wages per week.....	\$6.50	\$6.50	\$6.50
Whole number of pupils.....	10	11	10
Average number.....	9	11	9.9
Average daily attendance.....	8	10.96	9.74
Percentage of daily attendance.	.888	.99	.97
Number pupils not absent....	2	6	3
Number of tardinesses.....	7	0	0
Number of visitors.....	19	11	6

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Number of pupils in reading...	9	11	10
spelling...	9	11	10
penmanship	9	8	7
arithmetic..	8	6	5
geography.	6	6	5
grammar...	5	6	5
history.....	4	3	4
composition	5	4	5
physiology.		5	
algebra....		1	2

Spring term was taught by Nellie M. Glidden.

Fall and Winter terms were taught by Edna B. Snell.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

Spring term—Annie L. Richardson, David A. Hayes.

Fall term—Lotta S. Kingman, Susie Smith, Glara M. Jenkins, David A. Hayes, Tommy Smith, Charles Jenkins.

Winter term—Effie F. Hodgdon, Charles Jenkins, Lotta S. Kingman.

WEST SCHOOL.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Length of school in weeks.....	10	10	10
Wages per week.....	\$6.50	\$6.50	\$6.50
Whole number of pupils.....	9	10	10
Average number.....	8	10	10
Average daily attendance.....	8	9.95	8.36
Percentage of daily attendance..	.1	9.95	8.36
Number of pupils not absent...	2	2	4
Number of tardinesses.....	0	12	8
Number of visitors.....	18	18	8

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Number of pupils in reading	9	10	10
spelling	9	10	10
penmanship	9	10	10
arithmetic . .	7	10	10
geography . .	4	7	7
grammar . . .	4	9	10
history	3	3	1
composition .	4	4	10
music	7	10	10
book-keeping			2
algebra			2

Spring term was taught by Anna L. Hayes.

Fall term was taught by Elizabeth H. Lord.

Winter term was taught by Nellie E. Emerson.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

Spring term—Hazel M. Emerson, Clara C. Hayes.

Fall term—Hazel M. Emerson.

Winter term—Hazel M. Emerson.

NORTH SCHOOL.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Length of school in weeks	10	10	10
Wages per week	\$6.50	\$6.50	\$6.50
Whole number of pupils	15	20	13
Average number	14	20	12
Average daily attendance	12	19	12
Percentage of daily attendance . .	.85	.95	1
Number of pupils not absent . . .	2	3	1
Number of tardinesses	10	9	3
Number of visitors	19	21	12

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Number of pupils in reading....	15	20	12
spelling....	15	20	13
penmanship	15	20	13
arithmetic..	13	18	13
geography..	8	9	7
grammar...	7	8	6
history.....	5	6	4
composition	7	8	6
civil government			2
physiology.			5
algebra....		1	
philosophy.		1	1
rhetoric...			1

The three terms were taught by Lavine H. Twombly.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

Spring term—Reuben Hayes, Alice M. Whitehouse.

Fall term—Frank F. Brown, Willie B. Sanders, Mary E. Sanders.

Winter term—Frank F. Brown.

In submitting this our annual report we have omitted commenting on each teacher or school as the same remarks would apply to all. Our teachers have all been energetic, and spared no pains to make their school successful. We fully believe in the old saying. "As is the teacher so is the school," but it needs the united effort of teachers, scholars, parents and school board to achieve the highest results.

We are pleased to report, that the school work has been very successful the past year. Progress, discipline and attendance have been good in all the schools and

teachers, parents and children are all deserving of much credit. There has seemed to be mutual confidence and respect among all that have been connected with or interested in the schools. The custom of visiting our schools by parents and all interested in the education of the young is a great help to teachers and scholars. It usually creates a spirit of harmony, and a better understanding of motives and methods of instruction. It serves to increase the sense of responsibility each one ought to feel for the success of the school. This as a rule leads to less tardy and absent marks in the register and better order and progress in the school.

We hope to see this custom more generally observed throughout the district.

Respectfully submitted,

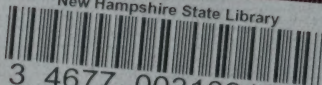
WILLIAM S. HAYES,

CHARLES S. KINGMAN,

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School Board.

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